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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane
Crime's Loud Voice
Earth's Ozone Blanket
Wise Ben Franklin
The Postmaster's Fleet

Crimes speak louder than words, and very loud in this fair country just now.

A man arrested in Chicago, accused of participating in the "St. Valentine's day massacre," was delighted to find that "only policemen" were after him.

Said he: "I am glad to see you; I thought some guys were going to take me for a ride sure."

More interesting is the fact that the well-known gambler, Rothstein, whose murder puzzled the New York police, and baffled the district attorney, was probably killed by a man who will never be convicted for the reason that he himself has since been murdered by Rothstein's friends. Even our able corporations might learn something about efficient organization from our able criminals.

Scientists of Smithsonian Institution hope to learn about magnetic disturbances and weather phenomena generally, by studying the earth's "ozone blanket."

This "blanket" is a thin layer of superior atmosphere, thirty miles up. By measuring the thickness and contents of the earth's ozone-blanket, it may be possible to tell what is happening on the sun, 93,000,000 miles away.

It might be possible also later to bring down some of that ozone, with its wonderful qualities for the improvement of the lungs and blood.

Future advertisements may read: "Ozone fresh from the ozone blanket every day."

Going up thirty miles from the earth's surface seems a great achievement.

But a microbe living on the face of an ordinary apple would do as much if he rose from the surface of his apple as much as one-hundredth part of an inch.

Thirty miles is much less than one two-hundredth part of the earth's diameter.

Here is good advice for youth or old age:

"Don't thou love life? Then do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of."

More good advice is this:

"He that goes a-borrowing, goes a-sorrowing."

And for a nation in which ninety old men out of a hundred die worth less than \$100, this is valuable:

"A man may, if he knows not how to squander his gets, keep his nose to the grindstone."

Three wise things were said by Benjamin Franklin, born 224 years ago.

There is material for a thousand good sermons in Franklin's common sense talks.

Mr. Brown, postmaster general, suggests a \$75,000,000 program to build a fleet of North Atlantic superliners for American passengers and mail.

The postmaster demands a service which could compete with any foreign flag-service on the North Atlantic.

Why should a country with the best engineers, from the President down, and with more money than anybody else, ever play second fiddle on the ocean or in the air?

The only negro student at West Point is dismissed "honorably" for deficiency in mathematics.

Sixty-three white men failed in examinations with him and were also dismissed.

Prejudice had nothing to do with it, although Alonzo Boulough Parham, a negro, was dismissed in the fourth month to enter the academy and the seventh to be dismissed at the end of the month.

Another cut in the cost of travel by air. The Transcontinental Air Transport, on its "air-rail-water" trip across the Americas, cuts \$100 off the price of a 16-day tour.

Air-transportation is settling down to a business basis.

William H. Mullins, son of the late Justice Mullins, and like his father, among the most highly respected men in Ohio, gives to Salem a home for the aged. This gift, in memory of his mother, sets an excellent example to others that can afford to be generous.

Young Americans, wondering "if there is still a chance," might study Mr. Mullins' start in business on his first account. When very young he saw a locomotive that had been in a junkyard on the Fort Wayne road that he bought for his value as "scrap," got himself and two or three mechanics to work, restored it and sold it for enough to start what became a big, successful business.

There are chances for those that have energy.

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WINTER SPORTS IN GRAYLING

Grayling is referred to in the Sunday edition of Bay City Daily Times as the "Capitol City of Winter Sports of Michigan."

Mr. George H. Winkler, prominent lumberman of Saginaw, Mich., called up Monday morning inquiring about road conditions and advised that on Friday of this week he was bringing up a party of eight from Saginaw for the week end to participate in our winter sports.

The official opening carnival of our winter sports will be held on Saturday and Sunday, February 8th and 9th. The program will be in charge of the Board of Trade Slide committee.



tee: Clarence Johnson, Harold McNeven, Lorane Sparkes, Herb Gothro and Esbern Hanson, and a special committee composed of George Burke and James W. Perkins. Already these committees are making up plans and it is going to be a big event in Grayling. Watch for further announcements later.

We are now broadcasting our winter sports each Friday night at eight o'clock over W.B.C.M., Bay City. Please listen in. As usual Grayling leads in being the first city to broadcast winter sports.

The February issue of the Magazine of Michigan will be devoted entirely to winter sports and we have been asked to contribute an article and send views of what we have to offer in the way of winter sports.

Detroit Times has a staff reporter, Mr. Ralph Goll, here for three days writing stories about this section, while C. W. MONTROSE is cooperating with him with his motion camera.

We are slowly but surely becoming established as a Winter Resort as well as Summer and if we can keep up the good work and each year enlarge on our Winter program, it won't be long before we can advertise to the world that Grayling is an ALL YEAR ROUND Resort City.

At Lake Margrethe we now have in operation two toboggan slides, opportunities for snowshoeing, hiking, skiing, fishing thru the ice, in fact everything to attract the lovers of the Great Out-of-doors.

Whatever success we have made so far is due entirely to the loyalty of our citizenship towards our Board of Trade who are sponsoring all of these projects. Let's keep the ball rolling and then watch us grow.

"GRAYLING, the CAPITOL CITY of Winter Sports of Michigan" is a good slogan. Let's try and live up to it.

Mr. Clyde Hum of Detroit has made reservations at Shoppenagons, Inn



1—President Hoover receiving members of General Federation of Women's Clubs gathered in Washington for their annual convention. 2—Automobiles buried in snow in Kansas City during fierce blizzard that swept over the Middle West. 3—Entrance to St. James palace, London, scene of the naval limitation conference.

for a party of 17 for Feb. 1st and 2nd.

C. W. Montrose is planning on getting motion pictures of the toboggan slide on Friday night of this week. It will be a night picture with flares for illumination. The flares will be carried upon the toboggans and, he says, will make a sensational picture. Everybody interested should be at the hill that evening.

GRAYLING DEBATING ONAWAY JAN. 24

On this date, January 24, 266 high schools of the state represented by 798 high school debaters will meet in 133 debates. Upon the completion of this fourth and final round of debates, the records established by all member schools in the four debates will be computed and the 64 schools with the highest records will be declared eligible to enter the Elimination Series of debates which will begin on February 14.

The affirmative team, composed of Libby Matson, Jessie Lytle and Jerome Kessler, meet the negative team from Onaway in the fourth debate of the season at the school auditorium this Friday. The question for the debate is the same as has been used before, "Resolved, that a judge or board of judges should be substituted for the jury in all trials in the state and municipal courts of Michigan," but the opposite side of the proposition is being defended.

The team has already had one debate. At West Branch they were defeated but at the same time discovered many of their weaknesses and during practices of these two weeks they have been trying to eliminate these under the guidance of the coach. This fourth debate closes the season for Grayling teams and so it is expected that the team will come across with as fine a showing as the negative team did in its debate here a few weeks ago and make this one with Onaway a "win" to balance the score for the season.

The judges for the debate are, according to tentative plans, to be three of the faculty members from Cheboygan High School. The debate is scheduled for seven-thirty so that for the then relatively puzzled Grayling machine has acquired, coordination and will fight the game out to the last ditch on the home court.

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Alpena vs. Grayling



Saturday, Jan. 25
ALSO TWO GOOD PRELIMINARY GAMES

ALL SET FOR ALPENA SATURDAY

The Grayling Greenlads are making strenuous preparations for the crucial battle with Alpena which will be the feature event of this week. A big Saturday night crowd will tax the high school gym to see the rivals in action, and the Grayling team will be primed for revenge.

Alpena won a marginal last moment victory from the smaller school on the Alpena floor, when the Grayling defense wavered momentarily, with the game almost at an end. Coach LaVerne Cushman is making every effort to have his outfit at the peak for this game. No position on the team is secure, and the Grayling squad has capable reserves for every position who are waging a desperate fight for a place in the lineup.

This week is being spent in search of the proper combination to turn back Alpena and even the count. Judging by the previous meeting the Northerners will have a busy evening for the then relatively puzzled Grayling machine has acquired, coordination and will fight the game out to the last ditch on the home court.

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MICH. RETAIL LUMBER DEALERS ASS'N. TO MEET IN GRAND RAPIDS FEB. 5-6-7

Retail Lumber Dealers, in all parts of Michigan, are looking forward to the Forty-first Annual Convention of the Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers Association which will be held in Grand Rapids, February 5, 6 and 7. This association, while old in years, has within the past four years made such progressive steps forward in promoting the home building idea that it is now classed as one of the most active and influential Lumber Associations in the country. Advanced reservations indicate that the convention this year will exceed in numbers any previous gathering, and a program has been arranged of interest to dealers large and small in all parts of the state.

The Annual Conventions are evaluations of local and sectional meetings which are held in different parts of Michigan during the year, and at which lumber dealers get together to discuss matters of common interest. Many of the ideas, suggestions, and recommendations involved at the local meetings have an interest outside of the immediate group where they are brought out, and are carried to the State Conventions where they receive the attention of delegates from widely separated parts of the State.

An array of speakers, most of them of national reputation, will discuss vital matters of lumber merchandising and selling, while the heads of the different departments of the Association will make their usual reports.

One of the most important phases of the Association's work for the year, the publication of the Architectural and Publicity Service maintained through which those about to build for their homes are given some splendid ideas. Hundreds of new homes are built in Michigan every year as a result of this service alone.

The program will continue for three days beginning Wednesday, February 5th. Opening session, 2:00 P. M. It is expected that a number from Grayling will be in attendance at the meeting.

Gothro, LaGrow, and SanCartier from the second team to the first squad. From these men the starting five will be chosen.

Coach Cushman, when interviewed, said that he has every confidence in his team and is sure that Alpena will face the toughest sort of opposition. He has been pointing the team toward the tournament in March and the results will show without a doubt that the high school's good floor and Emery and Daugherty will be eligible for this game. Loskos, May, and Kuivane are making strong bids for regular positions on the first team. Coach Cushman has advanced

NEWS & COMMENTS FROM WASHINGTON

(By Congressman Roy O. Woodruff, Tenth Michigan District.)

The direct questions of the property right of a broadcaster in a particular broadcasting channel over which his station has been operating under license, and of the constitutionality of the Federal Radio Act have been certified for determination by the Supreme Court. The decision will fix to a great degree the fate of general broadcasting and will mark the high peak of the desperate struggle made by the Radio Corporation to hold the air.

Interest and dividend payments by railroads, industrial and miscellaneous corporations, banks and insurance companies broke all records in January when they reached a level of 20 per cent above the 1929 January figure. This is evidence in concrete form that America is financially sound despite the unfortunate occurrences of the latter months of 1929 in the stock market.

Postmaster General Walter Brown's declaration in his Cleveland speech last week that the transcontinental aviation companies must be given postal subsidies ranging from 30 cents to \$1 per mile depending upon governmental space pre-emption for mail carriage has created much discussion in the cloakrooms and the corridors of the Capitol. Opinion, while diversified as to the form and amount of aid to be given, agrees that something must be done along that line if aviation is to continue to advance. The present depression is seasonal, of course, and natural, but the need for some sort of government aid is becoming apparent.

A resolution introduced in the Senate this week by Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, proposing an amendment to the Constitution relative to marriage and divorce laws is destined to attract not only extend comment, but bitter opposition and warm support. It is a question which, if pushed for consideration, may become as bitter in spots as the Eighteenth Amendment. Yet it must be admitted that there is a serious discrepancy in the laws of the various states now.

A bill pending in the House increasing the authorization of appropriations for Federal aid to the states for highway construction from \$75,000,000 to \$125,000,000 annually for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1931, 1932, and 1933, will be expedited under a rule ordered reported by the House Committee.

A hearing on January 16 was held on two bills now pending providing for the supervision of Gold Star Mothers' trips to American cemeteries overseas, and for the extension of time for return of mothers taken ill while abroad. It is probable both bills will pass.

The American farmer is the most efficient in the world, due to his high intelligence and the mechanization of farm work, according to a statement made public this week by the Department of Agriculture. The estimated total available primary horsepower on farms increased from approximately 7,000,000 in 1920 to 47,500,000 in 1924. It has continued to increase in like ratio.

The hen cannot be fooled. She cannot be made to lay more than a normal number of eggs, nor can eggs be made more fertile by the use of drugs, is the warning of the Department of Agriculture to poultrymen to beware of worthless preparations alleged to increase egg production and fertility. "No known drug nor combination of drugs when fed to poultry will increase egg production."

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BETTER HOMES CAMPAIGN

MRS. JOSEPH CHAIRMAN, BETTER HOMES CAMPAIGN

Mrs. Eva R. Joseph has been appointed to head a committee of local citizens for the purpose of planning a Better Homes campaign in Grayling.

This appointment was made from the National office of Better Homes in America in Washington, D. C., which each year sponsors a nationwide program for the improvement of housing conditions. The organization is headed by Secretary Wilbur who succeeded President Hoover as its president. Mr. Hoover now serves as honorary chairman. Dr. James Ford is in active charge of the campaign.

Better Homes in America is a non-commercial, educational organization which has for its object the improvement of housing conditions and the promotion of a wholesome type of home and family circle. Its program is adapted to local needs by each of the thousands of committees which have been established in cities, towns, and villages throughout the country. The campaign is sponsored locally by parent-teacher associations, women's clubs, civic associations, and in some communities by schools and colleges, as a part of their educational program. This is done in the study of home economics, manual training, civics, English and art.

A man or woman who is active in civic affairs is appointed in each community to serve as chairman of the Better Homes committee for that place. This chairman then selects a committee of representative men and women to conduct the campaign. These campaigns vary according to the size and conditions of the community, and include programs of lectures, demonstrations, and contests.

The demonstration of reconditioning an old and perhaps dilapidated house, to make it comfortable and convenient, is another phase of Better Homes work. Such houses are usually furnished with done-over furniture and both house and furnishings then become worth while object lessons.

The house demonstration is supplemented by contests, such as small house and garden competition, lot improvement contests and kitchen improvement contests. Schools participate usually through essay and poster contests, taking house building or homemaking as their subject. Students of home economics give public demonstrations of the use of labor-saving devices and methods of performing household operations. All of these programs have their culmination in Better Homes Week, which will be observed throughout the country April 27th to May 3rd, 1930.

The central office of Better Homes in America at Washington acts also as a clearing house for information on all phases of home building and home life.

MISINFORMED

It having come to our attention that there is some party circulating the story that dances at Temple Theatre are immoral, we wish to contradict these statements and also wish to state that those who are attending our dances are praising them saying they are clean and the best dances held in Grayling.

If anyone has doubts, attend our next Saturday night dance and if you don't agree with us, let us know.

AL and AL'S SYNCOPATORS.

The word "Kohnoor" is derived from the Persian Koh-nur, meaning literally "mountain of light."

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EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

As far as the wet and dry question
is concerned, 1930 looks like the year
of the big wind.—Indianapolis News.

No matter how clever a doctor may
be he cannot cure swelled heads.—
South Bend Tribune.

Arthur Brisbane says the most ac-
tive animals are meat eaters. Did
Mr. Brisbane every try to race a
squirrel up a tree?—Philadelphia In-
quirer.

If Mr. Hoover's Research Commit-
tee of Social Trends finds time hang-
ing heavy on its hands it might hop
in and find out what a hostess means
by feeding a grown man a lettuce
sandwich about the size of a fifty-cent
piece.—Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

Prof. Nicholas Murray Butler con-
demns the crime commission report.
Well this ought to just about settle
it.

It won't do you any good to call on
Uncle Sam and John Bull for a visit
now. They are in conference.

Sir Eame Howard says that the war
game was never worth the cost.
Exactly so. But if the other fellow
leads trumps and you haven't any of
your own, you're liable to be in bad
shape before the game is over.

Prisons out of doors are now recom-
mended as the best thing to cure
prison discontent. This might be all
right for the prisoners who play golf.

It is said that keeping the side-
walks clean of snow in Scotland is a
simple task. After a heavy snow-
fall the mayor drops a coin in the
snow and announces that he has lost
a shilling.

The telephone company in New
York will spend \$120,000,000 for im-
provements this year. And yet some
people will tell you that talk is cheap.

Our idea of the zero point in use-
fulness is to be a back seat driver
in an aeroplane.

Dr. Irving Fisher says that the
world will face a gold famine within
the next few years. Well, personally
we have been facing one for some
little time.

Our idea of the last word in punish-
ment would be to be shipwrecked on
a desert isle with a couple of saxo-
phone players.

The word (applause) appears quite
frequently in the Congressional Rec-
ord and wouldn't it be just too bad
if the public printer should happen
to make a mistake and set it (ap-
plause).

WILLIAM POWELL

Biographical Sketch by
C. W. Montrose.

"Will you hear then the story how
it unfolds itself surely and certain?
Come then, ring up the curtain!"
—From the opera "Pagliacci."

For more than two score years a
man has been coming here to enjoy
the glories of our summers. Here—
very few people know this man and
still fewer are the ones who have
been fortunate to meet him.

Before birth, the Creator cast him
for one of the greatest actors—his
stage has ever known and the recital
of his many successes sounds like a
fairly tale.

Fifteen seasons spent with the
world-renowned "Vaughn Glaser"
players is a record that speaks vol-
umes and clearly reveals a story of
Herculean efforts, unceasing devotion
to art and the stage but particularly
presents indisputable proof of Bill
Powell's extraordinary histrionic abil-
ity.

During the past fifty years the
blazing sheen of the footlights of the
most famous of theatres have cast
their reflection over his spectacular
performances and the powerful glare
of Klieg and Broadside lights of the
motion pictures have found this grand
old man an actor par excellence.

His roles have successfully made
him depict "The sad fruits of
love and passion—heart that weep
in anguish—cries of rage—hellish
hatred and bitter laughter. His parts
have dropped him into the bottomless
pit of unpeppable horror and inex-
pressible misery, and the impetus of
overpowering emotions have made him
soar into the realms of ineffable bliss,
gay laughter and happiness.

Spellbound, his audiences have lived
and suffered with him through the
nightmarish horror of mystery plays,
and his superb portrayals of dramatic
parts brought burning tears to the
eyes of women and caused the hearts
of men to ache with longings unfulfilled.
His keen sense of unaffected natural
humor and wit launched his rapt
listeners into gates of uncontrollable
laughter and the echo still remains
in the minds of those who laughed
with him.

And now—Bill Powell has almost
come to the end of the trail—a trail
such as few men have had the cour-
age to travel to its successful termina-
tion.

As he thinks then dear people when
you mind's eye beholds him "clad in
his motley and tinsel" that his is a
human heart beating with passion. He
is but a man like you for gladness or
sorrow and it is the same broad
heaven above him and the same wide
lonely world before him. Blood, not
water, flows in his veins and his
silent floods of human kindness to
those in deep distress have earned for
him the sobriquet of Daddy Bill.

As he gazes over the shimmering
waters of his beloved Lake Margrethe
his dreamy eyes observe the slowly
settling sun on the horizon of a well-
spent life, and he watches sadly but
satisfied the lowering curtain on the
stage of Time.

Night falls tremblingly and the last
lamp burns low. A long, lone road
lies before him but there are many
who cry out to Bill.

"Look with your dear old eyes in
mine
Give me a handshake true
Whatever fate our souls await
Let me be there
Let me be there—with you."
MONTE.

Hospital Notes

Miss Eleanor Gorman who has been
a patient at Mercy Hospital for a
couple of weeks following an opera-
tion was dismissed Saturday.

DeVere Schmidt who had been a
patient at Mercy Hospital for a few
weeks owing to an operation was dis-
missed Monday.

John Millikin had the misfortune
of cutting his foot and was taken to
the hospital for care, however he has
been dismissed.

Mrs. J. Brown and infant daughter,
Helen Ruth, were dismissed from the
hospital Saturday.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson is recover-
ing nicely from her recent operation
at the hospital due to the fine care
and treatment she is receiving. No
doubt she will be able to leave for
her home soon.

Richard Colbeck of Johannesburg
had a slight operation for tonsils at
the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Noa and daughter of
Gaylord were callers in Grayling
Tuesday, visiting the former's hus-
band who is a patient at Mercy
Hospital.

GOODFELLOWSHIP CLUB NOTES

Mrs. J. W. Greenwood was hostess
to the Goodfellowship club at her
home Monday evening. Following
the roll call of current events and
business session, the club listened to
an article on "The League of Na-
tions" by H. Cabot Lodge and read
by Mrs. Chas. Tromble. A discussion
followed and the meeting adjourned.

INFANT SON PASSES AWAY

Walter Ivan Billman, 2 months old
son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Billman
passed away at Grayling Mercy Hos-
pital Wednesday night after suffer-
ing from pneumonia.

The funeral was held Saturday af-
ternoon at 1:30 from the home of
the child's grandparents, Mr. and
Mrs. John Kolka. Rev. Greenwood
officiated. Interment was in Elmwood
cemetery.

The mother will be remembered as
Hazel Kolka.

Another indication that spring can't
be so very far away is that the base-
ball comment is beginning to creep
back into the sporting sections of the
city newspapers.

BILL POWELL DINNER

The Board of Trade will give a
dinner next week Wednesday night,
January 29th in honor of "Bill"
Powell, who is spending his first win-
ter in Grayling, altho he has been a
summer resident at Lake Margrethe
over 25 years.

The proposition was brot up at a
meeting of the Board of Directors on
Tuesday night and went over unan-
imously with a lot of enthusiasm. Mr.
and Mrs. Powell are esteemed citi-
zens here and on that evening will
be invited to become the honored
guests of the Board.

The dinner will be given at the Club
rooms at 6:00 o'clock Wednesday eve-
ning, January 29th. Plates will be
75 cents each. Anyone interested will
be welcome to attend. Tickets will
be on sale by Secretary A. J. Joseph.
Members of the Board and their
ladies are especially invited.

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

Pupils in the kindergarten and the
third and fourth grades at Grayling
school participated in a clever play,
"The Land of Good Health," at the
meeting of the Woman's Club Mon-
day evening.

Doctor Bearsch gave a very inter-
esting talk pertaining to the care and
development of the teeth, and he
stressed particularly the importance
of dental treatment during child-
hood.

The program was in charge of the
committees for Public Welfare and
Child Welfare.

Miss Margaret Hemmingson enter-
tained in the clubrooms of the Gray-
ling Board of Trade.

LETTER FROM FR. RIESS

St. Mary's Church
Grand Rapids, Mich.
January 16, 1930.

Mr. O. P. Schumann,

Grayling, Mich.

My Dear Mr. Schumann:

Yours of the 6th inst. at hand and
wish to tell you that I was very
pleased to hear from you and also
to receive such a new letter. We
read the Avalanche and are interested
in the "Old Home Town" or as Dr.
Falmers was wont to put it, "The Only
Town on the Map!" True, many new
names have appeared in the paper,
but we still are interested in the wel-
fare of the great city—Grayling. I
am very busy here in the Furture
City. I have a large parish and all
kinds of work, but I like work. True,
I have little time for my own selves,
but one gets great satisfaction out
of the fact one spends himself for
his fellowmen. The people are very
good to me—in fact, they received me
with open arms and have kept me
close to their hearts ever since. They
are fine people—just as the dear
people at Grayling. I certainly miss
Grayling and my friends of the "glori-
ous north," because Grayling and
missions were really "Home" to me;
and, as you so graciously put it,
"I was one family"—always ready
to do for one another. That's the
spirit that counts and you do not
find it in larger cities. I can and
will never forget Grayling and the
happy hours both of joy and labor I
spent there. They were the making
of a young "Sky Pilot" and caused
the way to be paved to larger and
more responsible fields. Grayling
and my experiences, work and friends
of the North have contributed to my
success and happiness which I enjoy
at present. I have many, many times
wished, yes prayed, to be back in
Grayling. But, you know, "Man pro-
poses and God disposes." We must
obey the order of our superiors.

Well, kind friend, I have taken up
too much of your valuable time;
please pardon me. I just want you
to know that I appreciate your kind
letter and that my thoughts are often
back "Home" with "my dear old
Grayling friends." Kindly remember
me to all my friends.

Best wishes for a happy, prosper-
ous and blessed new year to you and
your dear family, I am
Sincerely yours,
REV. JOHN J. RIESS.

TO END ALL WARS

The representatives of five of the
leading powers of the world, England,
France, Italy, Japan and the United
States, seated themselves around a
table in St. James palace, London,
this week charged with the most im-
portant mission ever entrusted to
human beings—the adoption of a
policy that will practically assure the
end for all time of hostilities between
these great nations.

This would be an easy task if na-
tions actually represented their own
people—for the people as a whole ab-
hor war and the suffering and misery
it entails. In private life we may
resent an insult, no matter how de-
liberate or studied, yet evade entering
into a personal conflict. In a nation-
al sense insults are wiped out by war.
Intercourse between nations must
be reduced to admit of the personal
equation in our dealings with each
other. We must regard each other
more as individuals than as nations.
World powers may reduce their fight-
ing strength on land and sea, but
until national suspicion is eliminated
the tinder for another world conflag-
ration only awaits the torch of the
fanatic.

The London meeting is a good
omen. War may not be entirely ban-
ished in our day and generation, but
the time is coming when the sword
of conflict will be sheathed for the
last time and nations will wage only
wars against their common enemy,
disease and poverty.

All that has gone before in world
history will seem pitifully insignifi-
cant in comparison when that golden
morning dawns.

London Note
Before starting to polish the teeth
of a clock dipped in sweet milk. You
will be surprised at the dirt that will
come off. Then polish as usual.

Washing Him Amused
Indignant Mother—Dye mind doing
up three pounds of rice in half pounds.
Mr. Smith? It fascinates my little
boy to watch you breaking the string
on your Sager.—Passing Show.

Life's Possibilities
What is past is past. There is a fu-
ture left to all men, who have the vir-
tue to repent and the energy to atone.
—Bulwer-Lytton.

Local Happenings

Edgar A. Murray of Detroit has
been spending several days in Gray-
ling. He returned home Wednesday
night.

George Burke left for Jackson yes-
terday morning on business. He will
also attend the auto show in Detroit
and will drive back two of the new
Ford cars.

Word has been received of the mar-
riage of Labrand Harder, son of Mrs.
Marie Harder of Fordson, to Dortha
Wilde of Chicago. They are residing
in Chicago, where Mr. Harder is em-
ployed.

Miss Marguerite Montour returned
home Monday after spending a couple
of weeks in Ann Arbor and other
places visiting relatives and friends.

You are invited to attend the baka
sale to be given by St. Mary's Altar
society a week from Saturday, Feb-
ruary 1st. at the Nick Schlotz grocery
store.

Those who arose at the early hour
of 4:30 a. m., Tuesday morning to
listen in on the radio to hear King
George of England give his address
at the opening of the London Peace
conference were well rewarded for
their efforts. The reception was ex-
cellent. Following King George's ad-
dress Premier Ramsey MacDonald
gave his acceptance speech as chair-
man. It was also wonderfully inspir-
ing to listen to the orchestras as they
played the national anthem of the five
power conference members—U. S.,
Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan.

NOTED FLIER JOINS SHELL AS
DIRECTOR OF AVIATION

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Lieut. James H.
Doolittle who was recently loaned by
the U. S. Army Air Force to the
Guggenheim Foundation for the pro-
motion of aeronautics and who con-
ducted exhaustive tests including
blind flying under conditions simulat-
ing the densest possible fog, comes
right from the Army Air Service in
which he has a distinguished record,
to further the interests of aviation
in St. Louis, says an announcement
from the headquarters of the Shell
Petroleum Corporation here. Lieut.
Doolittle has joined Shell as director
of aviation.

Lieut. Doolittle's achievements in
flying are many. His most notable
achievement in blind flying was one
in which he flew in a sealed cabin,
guided solely by his instruments. In
this spectacular and daring feat he
took off from Mitchell Field, Long
Island, New York, flew approximately
25 miles in a course roughly an
elongated figure eight and landed on
almost exactly the same spot from
which he took off. This achievement
is of vital importance to aviation
since it shows conclusively that suc-
cessful flying can be done under ad-
verse weather conditions.

Lieut. Doolittle, the first American
to fly over the Andes Mountains in
South America, is also credited with
being the first man to make an out-
side loop, considered the most dif-
ficult of all aerial maneuvers.

ALL MAY NOT BE LOST

The Michigan sugar beet growers is
downcast. Somewhere along the line
senators pledged to his support dis-
serted the high tariff ship and went
over to the buccaneer barge of his
enemies.

However, there is hope that the
lower house of Congress will be more
sympathetic to the plea of the grow-
ers and the sugar beet industry in
Michigan and other sugar beet grow-
ing states saved from utter ruin.

It does not take a prophet to see
what would happen to the price of
sugar in this country if our entire
supply should again fall into control
of the Latin-American sugar monopoly.

AVIATION CASUALTIES

The Navy Recruiting Station, De-
troit, notes that, in the year ending
July 1, 1928, 3,922.45 hours were flown
by Navy airmen for each fatal casual-
ty. In the following year, 6,558 hours
were flown for each fatality. During
the fleet maneuvers last winter,
over 300,000 miles were flown without
an accident involving loss of life. It
is believed that this upward trend
of safety in flying is due in part to
better airplane design, and in part
to the rigid training each Navy pilot
must undergo before receiving his
"wings."

MAD ANTHONY WAYNE NEXT
DURANT HERO

Mad Anthony Wayne's brilliant feat
of arms in capturing the well fortif-
ied stronghold of Stony Point, one
of the most important victories in the
struggle of the American Colonies for
independence, is re-enacted in the six-
teenth Heroes of the World program.
These dramatic historical presenta-
tions are sponsored by Durant Mo-
tors and the broadcast at 7:00 P. M.
Eastern Standard time each Sunday
evening over WEA, New York, and a
national hook-up of 38 affiliated sta-
tions.

Know Her Weakness
Man—I say, you fellows, my wife
want out to see her mother, intending
to stay six weeks, but I brought her
home in a hurry. Do you know what
I did? I sent her a paper every day
with a paragraph cut out, and she was
so full of curiosity to know what news
I was keeping from her that she came
home at the end of four days.—Lon-
don Times.

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AN OBEDIENT WIFE



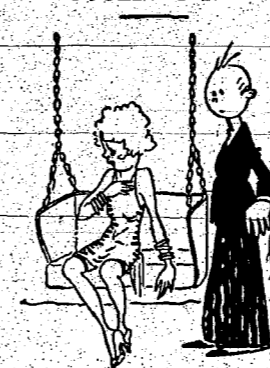
Homebody—Does your wife really
obey you?
Fee-wee—Sometimes. When I say,
"Go ahead and never mind me," she
always follows that command.

THE LATE WIFE



Ordinary but Rich Mortal—I would
like to have you paint a portrait of
my late wife.
Great Artist (Intuitively)—Like
most women, I suppose. But she will
have to be on time—very prompt with
her sittings—if she wants me to do the
work.

COULDN'T SEE



He—You promised you wouldn't
even look at another fellow now we're
engaged. And I saw you kissing Jack.
She—But I had my eyes closed.

NOT CONSISTENT



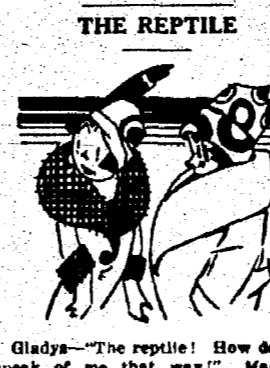
Poet—You said in your paper, the
other day, that poverty is no crime.
Editor—Well?
"And yet you decline my verses sim-
ply 'cause you say they're poor!"

STEPPED ON THE GAS



"Yes, he knocked his wife down
and put his foot on her mouth and
she had him arrested."
"Under what charge?"
"Stepping on the gas."

THE REPTILE



Gladya—"The reptile! How dare he
speak of me that way!" Maggie—
"Why call him such a name?" Gladya—
"He's a lounge lizard, that's why."

McKAY BROS.

OPTICAL SPECIALISTS
Eyes examined, glasses ground in
our own shop. Broken glasses repair-
ed by mail.
Bay City, Michigan.

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Keep Yourself



Well Groomed

OUR WAVES will delight you. The care-
ful observance of your individual style
is our aim.

OUR FACIALS bring out your natural at-
tractiveness and they are sure to im-
prove your personal appearance.

Maxine Collen

Burke Apts.

Phone Forty-Eight

CHEBOYGAN REAL ESTATE TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LAND HEREIN DESCRIBED:

(By E. M. T. Service)
Gordon Turner of the Cheboygan
Tribune writes us that summer res-
ort lots in Cheboygan County are in
unusually heavy demand for this time
of year. "A number of sales have
recently been transacted whereby
choice frontage on Cheboygan lakes
and streams have passed into the
hands of people who intend to build
summer homes. William R. Sweet
of Burt Lake completed the biggest
sale, disposing of 15 fine lots on the
west shore to Toledo, Chicago, and
Lansing parties who intend to build
during the coming season. Douglas
Lake frontage is another of the places
in demand."

Cheer up. The robins are singing
in the Adirondacks and this is said
to presage an early spring.

Want Ads

FOUND—Man's fur mit. Owner may
have same by identifying same and
paying for add. Call at Avalanche
office.

SECOND HAND GOODS—Bought
and sold by M. H. Pearsall, op-
posite Court House, Grayling. 2c

MEN WANTED IMMEDIATELY by
giant international industry; over
7000 already started; some doing
annual business \$10,000; no experi-
ence or capital required; everything
supplied; realize success, independ-
ence Rawleigh's way; retail food
products, soap, toilet preparations,
stock, poultry supplies; your own
business supported by big Ameri-
can, Canadian, Australian indus-
tries; resources over \$17,000,000;
established 40 years; get our pro-
position; all say it's great! Raw-
leigh Company, Dept. MC-39-3,
Freeport, Ill. 1-23-2

LOST—2 rear truck tires, Dunlop and
All-State—size 32x6—four miles
south of Grayling on U. S. 27.
Finder please notify Howard Hoff-
man.

FOR SALE—baled hay; first and sec-
ond cut of alfalfa. Inquire at farm
of Glenn Slater, Rose City. 1-16-2

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished
house or rooms; also quantity of
used furniture. Reliable parties.
Notify Avalanche at once.

FURNITURE REPAIRING. Up-
holstering and general repairing in
all lines of wood or metal, and chair
caning. J. G. Leverton, DuClos
house, Norway St. tf.

FOR SALE—Ballard Estate house.
Bargain for cash or on easy terms.
Inquire of O

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVANCEA OF 24 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, January 24, 1911

Married at the Presbyterian parsonage in this village, Friday, Jan. 20, G. F. Taylor, and Miss Maud Eide, both of Beaver Creek, Rev. L. E. Palmer officiating.

Born—January 21 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, a daughter.

The mercury registered at 20 degrees below zero Wednesday morning, and came up rapidly after daylight.

Chas. F. Dickinson of Toledo, Ohio, will build a large 12 room house on his ranch near Dam 2, early in the spring.

Mrs. Julius Mertz of Johannesburg is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Cross who is suffering from rheumatism.

Thirty-six below zero and three feet of snow in Montana and sheep and cattle are perishing. Two inches of snow in Crawford county, 25 above zero and sheep and people in a flourishing condition.

Extremes meet. Last Saturday the mercury registered at 48 degrees and a steady rain fell all day measuring over an inch. Sunday morning the mercury was down to 8 degrees and

snow fell during the day to a depth of 14 inches with a terrific gale which killed it in great drifts. Monday and Tuesday were ideal days, still and just cold enough to be bracing.

While the boundless west is wading in torrents of rushing waters or digging tunnels through 16 feet of snow this section is enjoying real Michigan weather. Just enough snow and freeze to have good roads and while we have neither blizzard or other storms don't think for a jiffy that we are running around in our shirt-sleeves, fan in hand. Such would not be a condition typical of a winter in Michigan and the great lakes.

The David Ward estate, which consists principally of timber lands, about 15,000 acres, although it comprises a railroad 42 miles long, running at its whole length through its own lands, also a big gang sawmill plant at Deward, is undoubtedly the largest and richest in northern Michigan. The total assessment in nine townships in the counties of Antrim, Kalamazoo, Charlevoix, Otsego and Crawford, is about \$2,000,000, and the total of taxes will amount to about \$30,000 for the past year.

TIME TO BEGIN

That the race will protect itself is seen in the growing distaste boys and girls are beginning to have for flask toting and gin parties set to last music. These things are no longer as popular as they were a few years ago. In this the children seem to be exhibiting more sense than their elders who are still conducting cellar saloons and turning the night into ribald revelry. Not the majority of parents can be charged with this kind of conduct, but a sufficient number in every community to cause alarm.

It's about time we quit turning our social problems over to state legislatures and begin getting busy ourselves. We are all interested in better boys and girls and Dr. Samuel S. Drury, rector of St. Paul's School for boys at Concord, New Hampshire, has set down from his long experience in dealing with youth some excellent precepts which every parent can follow with benefit to the family circle. Dr. Drury says:

- "1. Make the second decade of youth's life breezy, wholesome and simple.
- "2. Provide the spur of necessity for them, especially if you are wealthy.
- "3. Don't invite other people's children to parties primarily arranged for elder people.
- "4. Don't destroy young people's characters in order to make one of your parties 'successful'.
- "5. Don't offer children in their 'second decade' liquor, unless they are your own children. (Which rule Dr. Drury really directs to members of the 'second decade' themselves. It runs: Don't drink

unless at your father's table.)

"6. Give your boy or girl at least a month in camp, a cruise on a tanker, or a course at a citizens' training camp, during the summer vacation.

"7. Don't postpone your child's education. Begin in January what you contemplate for him in July.

"8. Don't hesitate to place your boy from 16 to 19 in unsupervised situations in life. There is an inner armor boys possess during these years that keeps them from the smirch of the world.

"9. Don't put the smirch that creeps into older minds into the minds of those in the 'second decade'.

"10. Give your growing boy a thrilling job, one that taxes his powers and puts him on his own responsibility.

"11. Don't 'fiddle around' with your boy or girl. Theirs is to make reply during the 'second decade'. There should be no rule without reason. But YOU SHOULD RULE!"

Latin Long "Dead" Language
Originally Latin was spoken by the inhabitants of the ancient city of Rome and by the tribe called the Latins, who lived on the plain of Lavinia, south of the Tiber. Various other languages were at the same time used in Italy. Gradually as the Romans conquered the neighboring Italian towns, and their power increased, the Latin language spread through Europe. Latin was spoken in central Italy probably as early as 10 or 15 centuries before our era. It ceased to be a living tongue about the Eighth century of our era.

Costs 85 Cents a Month To Lose Pounds of Ugly Fat

How would you like to lose 15 pounds of fat in a month and at the same time increase your energy and improve your health?

How would you like to lose unhealthy fat that you don't need and don't want and at the same time feel better than you have for years?

How would you like to lose your double chin and your two prominent abdomens and at the same time make your skin so clean and clear that it will compel admiration?

How would you like to get your weight down to normal and at the same time develop that urge for activity that makes work a pleasure and also gain in ambition and keenness of mind?

Get on the scales today and see how much you weigh—then get an 85-cent bottle of Kruschen Salts which will last you for 4 weeks. Take store

Proves He's a "Marrying Justice"



Justice Howard E. Kemp of Crown Point, Ind., displaying more than twenty thousand wedding ring boxes in his office, collected after that unscrupulous he has performed during his fourteen years as a justice.

UNCLE SAM EATS MORE MARGARINE THAN PREVIOUSLY

CHICAGO.—Consumption of margarine in the United States in the last year amounted to 13 per cent over 1922, according to a report just made public here by Dr. J. A. Abbott, secretary of the Institute of Margarine Manufacturers.

The consumption of this year was \$21,121,451 pounds as compared to 20,450,238 pounds in 1922. "This important increase is due principally to a more intelligent understanding on the part of the public of the composition and food value of margarine, to lower prices effected through economies in manufacture, lessened cost of food fats and other materials entering into its composition, mass production, a generous newspaper advertising policy, and improvement of the quality of the product by the application of scientific methods of production resulting from continuous researches in the preparation of this article of food."

In Europe and the United Kingdom, where margarine is a staple table delicacy, the annual consumption was in excess of 2,000,000,000 pounds. The per capita consumption in Great Britain was 17.75 pounds in 1913, as compared with 13.23 pounds in 1924. In Germany it was 10.2 pounds in 1923 as compared with 15.8 pounds in 1923. Denmark presented the best example of a rising curve in margarine consumption. In that country the per capita consumption was 44.5 pounds in 1922 as compared with 45.3 pounds per capita in 1923.

Future of the margarine industry, the report states, would seem to hold the promise of wider markets, especially in the United States, and increasing production.

NEWSPAPER ADS AID RAZOR SALES

NEW YORK.—Capitalizing the prestige of years of newspaper advertising, the Antistrop Safety Razor Company here, entering the razor blade field with a new product, did three times the business officials expected in the first month their probak blade was on the market, according to Charles M. Fritsker, advertising manager, in an address here.

"Though we believed that trade and consumer good will as achieved through the columns of the press was worth a great deal, the company did not appreciate by one-third its actual dollar and cents value," declared Mr. Fritsker.

"Eight years of research were required before we produced a blade worthy of our prestige. Then we conducted a month's test. We packed the blades in a distinctive type of package of brilliant butterfly colors, red, blue, and two kinds of green, and we released three distinct campaigns, the first modernistic, the second, sensational, and the third, conservative."

"From the first we found that our prestige, gained by years of newspaper advertising, readily gained jobber and dealer acceptance. We obtained immediate results, and, strangely enough, the conservative campaign proved far the strongest."

ECONOMICAL DINNER MENU FOR SUNDAY

CHICAGO.—Sunday dinner with all the trimmings for a family of five may be put on the table for approximately \$4.95, according to the American Research Foundation, which has just made public its economical Sunday dinner menu.

Here's the way the home fixings would look on a menu card of a fashionable restaurant, with the tricky French phrases deleted: consommé, heart of celery, roast goose with rice stuffing, beet-stirring bean ensemble, stuffed prune salad, rolls and margarine, coffee and cream, and pumpkin pie.

"If the home manager would serve dinner economically she should substitute goose for more expensive fowl," the foundation's belittles states. "Eight pounds of goose at thirty-five cents a pound should be ample for the family of five, and this total of \$2.90 is the sum allowed for the main dish in the model economical meal. The figure of \$4.95 also considers that wholesome margarine be used both in the preparation of the meal and as a spread for bread. Use of these two items in themselves results in a saving equal to nearly one-fourth the total cost of the dinner."

"Expense entailed in the serving of the remaining dishes should read approximately as follows: consommé, fifteen cents; celery, fifteen cents; beans, eighteen cents; rice stuffing, forty cents; prune salad, thirty cents; rolls and margarine, twenty cents; coffee and cream, twenty cents; and pumpkin pie, forty cents."

Considered from the standpoint of nutritive value, the dietetic of the model meal gives the bulletin investigators, could not be improved in a repeat costing twenty dollars.

"Catching Hot Spots"
The expression "hot spot" means a trap or snare. As early as 1793, Benjamin Franklin was giving instructions and advice to his countrymen. The act provided that in case of 12 persons or more unlawfully assembling and playing the peon, an officer could make proclamation of the general operations of the hot spot and call upon them to disperse. If they failed to obey, they were guilty of felony.

Check these features in the sensational new CHEVROLET SIX

HYDRAULIC SHOCK-ABSORBERS
Four DeSoto valves, one on each side, eliminate road shocks and increase comfort.

50-HORSEPOWER MOTOR
A great six-cylinder motor increased to 50-horsepower, gives smoother, fuller operation, with greater power.

BRONZE-BUSHED PISTONS
The strong, light piston is a bushed with high-grade bronze to provide smoother operation and longer life.

NEW HOT-SPOT MANIFOLD
A larger hot-spot manifold, better combustion, vaporization of fuel—improving performance and efficiency.

STRONGER REAR AXLE
Larger and stronger rear axle gears—made of the finest nickel steel—add greatly to durability and long life.

NEW ACCELERATION PUMP
A new automatic acceleration pump provides positive fuel injection, which modern traffic necessitates.

The sensational value of the Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History is based on definite points of superiority—which you can easily check for yourself. From its improved 50-horsepower six-cylinder valve-in-head engine, to its beautiful new bodies by Fisher—it sets a new standard of quality for the low-price field.

A few of Chevrolet's extra-value features are listed on this page. Check them over carefully. Then come in and drive this car. Learn what these new features mean in terms of finer performance—greater comfort—greater handling ease—and increased safety. It will take you only a few minutes to find out why this car is winning more praise than any Chevrolet we have ever shown. A finer Six in every way—yet it sells—

—at greatly reduced prices!

The ROADSTER.....	\$495
The PHAETON.....	\$495
The SPORT ROADSTER.....	\$525
The COACH.....	\$565
The COUPE.....	\$565
The SPORT COUPE.....	\$625
The CLUB SEDAN.....	\$625
The SEDAN.....	\$675
The SEDAN DELIVERY.....	\$595
The LIGHT DELIVERY CHASSIS.....	\$365
The 1½ TON CHASSIS.....	\$520
The 1½ TON CHASSIS WITH CAB.....	\$625

All prices f. o. b. factory, Flint, Michigan

A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

Alfred Hanson Service Station—Grayling

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NAVY TO TAKE 35 MEN IN JANUARY

The U. S. Navy will take 35 men from Michigan and Northern Ohio, in January, the Navy Recruiting Service, with headquarters in Detroit, having been authorized to accept that number.

The biggest soda fountain in the world has been opened in St. Louis. Just think of this—in the very shadow of Anheuser-Busch.

Konjola Puts Railroad Man Back on Job

Had About Abandoned Hope Of Ever Having Health—New Medicine Wins Fine Victory



MR. M. F. TAYLOR
"Konjola proved much more than a medicine in my case," said Mr. M. F. Taylor, 1008 Clay avenue, Detroit, an employee of the Grand Trunk railroad. "For I put me back on the job after having had to lay off for quite some time. For three years I suffered from stomach trouble, and all kinds of the 'flu' and grippe. I could not digest sufficient food to keep me going. I suffered from pains and bleeding, and my system filled with poisons."

"A friend who called at my home recommended Konjola. I told him that I had lost faith in all medicines, but he insisted that Konjola was different. It surely was different, for just seven bottles restored my digestion, sort of my liver and kidneys and put me back to work. I am feeling better in every way than for years, and my wife and three boys are now taking Konjola."

Konjola is sold in Grayling at the Mac & Gileys drug shop, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

E. A. RIGGS DEFENDS WINTER FISHING

From Edwin A. Riggs, supervisor of Burr Township, Chaboygan County, comes the following comment relative to spearing fish thru the ice: "I must say I am not at all pleased with the comments of the Rosecommon Herald-News, or the comment signed T. F. M. They are very detrimental to the farmer who has to live here 365 days every year and who hasn't the time or equipment to do any fishing in the summer, and with a modern winter outfit he never gets enough for his own use. I claim there is plenty of fish both for the farmer and the resortor if conservation methods are used. I also claim the farmer ought to have the privilege of getting a mess of fish in the winter for himself and family, for it's the farmer who has made these lakes and streams inviting and accessible to the resortor, cleared up the country, built the highways, making it very easy for the resortor to get to these waters at almost any point he wishes. Our Conservation Department has done one very wise thing—stopping the fishing in Indian River. This should have been done 30 years ago."

Los Angeles the other day reported the first rain in four months. We don't know whether this was a weather bureau report or a booster's story.

Subscribe for the Avalanche

Sights We Hope to See

MAN WHO LOVES TO SHOW OFF HIS POWERFUL GRIP, SHAKES HANDS WITH A ONE ARMED MAN.



SUCH IS LIFE
By Charles Hughes
Sounds Reasonable

MY UNCLE IS A VETERINARY

POOH MY DAD IS A DOCTOR
THAT AIN'T NO BETTER THAN A VETERINARY
ANY VETS DON'T HAVE TO KNOW SO MUCH

SURE THEY DO! THEY'RE SMARTER THAN DOCTORS

PROVE IT!

WELL, A VETERINARY CAN ASK A HORSE WHAT HE THINKS

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Center of Stage in Capital Held by Prohibition Enforcement.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
Prohibition was again the dominant topic in Washington, displacing the tariff and the naval conference in London. Somewhat hurried by political pressure, the Wickersham crime commission made a preliminary report and in submitting it to congress President Hoover made recommendations for legislation designed to facilitate enforcement of the dry laws. Then the fireworks started.

The commission's report was thus neatly summarized by the "Boston Herald":

"In effect Chairman Wickersham and his associates say: 'Whether the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act are wise legislation or not, we do not choose to say. The law is here. Conditions in the courts and elsewhere are such that enforcement under ideal conditions has not been responsible. So up come new machinery for enforcement, try it a while and ultimately we may have something to say on prohibition as prohibition. We defer judgment meanwhile.'"

The four major recommendations made by the commission were:

Unification of enforcement under the Department of Justice.

Machinery for speeding up prohibition cases in the federal court.

Codification of all statutes relating to prohibition.

Amendment of Volstead act to facilitate prosecution of padlock injunctions.

Here is what President Hoover asked of congress:

Reorganization of the federal court structure so as to give relief from congestion.

Consolidation of the various agencies engaged in prevention of smuggling of liquor, narcotics, other merchandise and aliens over our frontiers.

Provision of adequate prisons and reorganization of parole and other practices.

Specific legislation for the District of Columbia.

Legislation to give United States court commissioners enlarged powers in minor criminal cases.

Transfer of prohibition machinery from Treasury department to the Department of Justice.

IN THE house these recommendations were referred to the several committees especially concerned, and there was an apparent disposition to push the administration measures through in quick time; but it was thought they would encounter much opposition in the senate. The constitutional lawyers in both houses were prepared to fight especially the commission's plan to permit United States commissioners to handle petty prohibition cases on the ground that it deprived citizens of their constitutional right of trial by jury.

Wickersham explained that this was a "misapprehension, the plan merely assuring the defendant a speedy trial with the right to appeal to another court in which he would be tried by a jury."

The wets in the house organized for the coming battles by electing J. Charles Linthicum of Maryland leader of the bloc. Previously Representative James M. Beck of Pennsylvania had declined the post, explaining that while he opposed the prohibition law, he believed it to be "the manifest duty of the administration to enforce it."

Representative La Guardia of New York made a surprise attack on the drys when he raised a point of order on the prohibition provisions of the pending Treasury department appropriation bill and offered a resolution to declare the Eighteenth amendment "inoperative."

La Guardia set forth the proposition that only ten of the state legislatures ratified the Eighteenth amendment within seven years, as required by its third section. The others, he said, ratified merely the joint resolution, which later became the constitutional article. Hence, he argued, the amendment and its enforcement legislation automatically died three years ago.

ALL this hullabaloo coincided with the tenth anniversary of the advent of national prohibition, and at the same time the Anti-Saloon league opened its twenty-fourth annual convention in Detroit. The leaders of the organization announced plans for raising a "war chest" of \$500,000 for use during the next ten years and said they were determined to root out the organized forces that seek repeal or modification of the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act.

General Superintendent F. Scott McBride in his address assuring a "rather remarkable knowledge of the Creator's ideas, declared: 'The league was born of God. It has been led by Him and will fight on while He leads.'"

Dr. A. J. Barton, chairman of the executive committee, said: "The Anti-Saloon league is the most hated and feared organization in America. The wets are more and more amazed at the strength of our organization. In a plying and patronizing way they announce that we are dead or at least moribund. The wish is father to the thought; they know that we are very much alive."

ON THURSDAY the senate, by a majority of ten votes, rejected the proposal of the Republican regulars for an increase in the sugar tariff.

The amendment of Senator Harrison of Mississippi forcing the reduction in the tariff bill of the existing rate of 1.75 cents a pound on Cuban sugar, was adopted, 45 to 22.

The finance committee had proposed a rate of 2.20 cents on Cuban sugar and the bill passed by the house at the rate of 2.40 cents.

The Western Independent Republicans, who combined with the Democrats to knock out of the Republicans bill all rate increases except those on agricultural products, except those on

sugar duty. Senators Borah of Idaho and Norris of Nebraska, leaders of the bloc, were among those voting against an increased rate.

GOVERNOR GREEN of Michigan, acting on recommendation of Arthur D. Wood, commissioner of pardons and paroles, has commuted the sentences of the five victims of the state's former "life for a pint" law, reducing their terms from life imprisonment to 7 1/2 to 15 years, in conformity to the amended statute. The sixth sentenced under the former law committed suicide in his cell.

Osborn G. Olander, Michigan's commissioner of public safety, announced that the state police would be provided with fast automobiles equipped with machine guns and tear bombs to stop run running between Detroit and Chicago. The officers will wear bullet proof vests.

In Providence, R. I., a special grand jury called to consider evidence in the slaying of three men aboard the rum runner Black Duck by coast guardsmen reported to the Superior court that, after thorough investigation, it had found no indictment.

SECRETARY OF STATE STIMSON and the rest of the American delegates to the naval limitation conference landed at Plymouth Friday morning and were speedily carried up to London. There Mr. Stimson spent several hours in conference with Prime Minister MacDonald, and on the two following days he talked confidentially and at length with Premier Tardieu of France and Dino Grandi, Italian foreign minister. Presumably these conversations did much to clear the way to a tentative agreement in the conference, which was to open Tuesday.

To the advance guard of the newspaper correspondents from all over the world Mr. MacDonald said Great Britain would propose the abolition of battleships and submarines, not with any great hope of obtaining total abolition, but in the strong hope of securing a drastic reduction in these forms of armament and their possible extinction after a term of years. He favored reduction by categories rather than global tonnage, but France and probably Italy are committed to the latter plan and it is believed the United States is ready to accept it. The French and Italian delegations were reported still far apart on the question of naval parity. However, fair minded observers in London were convinced that all five of the delegations were sincere in their desire to obtain results of real international value and that while each of them would insist on adequate national defense, all were against the principle of armed supremacy. Therefore there is reason for optimism.

DELEGATES of the allies and of Germany in the conference at The Hague finally reached an agreement on the several questions of sanctions and formulated two declarations on the subject to be part of the Young plan protocol, the way to the signing of which was thus cleared. Germany agreed that in case she wilfully defaulted any of the Young plan provisions any creditor nation might appeal to the court of international justice and if that court gave an affirmative decision, the creditor power or powers should resume "full liberty of action." That, of course, means the possibility of armed intervention or occupation, and both the Germans and the British hesitated to sign it, but this was necessary to prevent utter failure of the conference. Paul Moldenhauer, German minister of finance, had already promised that the Reichsbank would participate in the financing of the world bank for reparations, though Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank, had fought stubbornly against this. Agreement was reached on the date of German payments, the fifteenth of the month, as demanded; on the moratorium question, with the provision that at the end of any period of suspended payments the amount postponed becomes payable immediately, and a special advisory committee is to determine whether Germany's economic life is endangered when moratorium is asked.

SENATOR CARAWAY, chairman of the lobby investigating committee, reported to the senate denouncing tariff lobbyists, especially those of the sugar interests, as a set of grafters. "Fattening up" the donations of credulous business men, who might as well give their money to a palm reader or a crystal gazer," he estimated that the sugar lobbyists, both high and low, in their campaign to influence congressmen. The report said the committee had found no impropriety in anything open to censure or criticism on the part of the President.

THROUGHOUT much of the Mississippi and Ohio river valleys flood conditions were increasing until they threatened to be the worst in years. Vast areas of farm land were inundated and many towns were isolated. Southern Indiana especially suffered, and extremely cold weather added to the distress there and elsewhere.

The severest storms of the winter swept over the North Central states, and the heavy snowfalls extended even to Portland, Ore., and southern California. Still worse in destruction of life and property were the great gales that prevailed in England and northern Europe. About fifty persons were killed and many injured, the majority of deaths being due to the foundering of vessels.

GOVERNOR CLARK returned to Pileup from a six weeks' inspection trip in the Wei river district on behalf of the China International Famine Relief and reported that thousands of persons are dying daily from famine and exposure. He declared two millions are doomed to die within a few months and that there was no hope of saving them because of transportation difficulties and fear of bandits.

POPE PIUS XI issued an encyclical severely criticizing co-educational methods and declaring the right of the church and family to take precedence over the state in education of children. The state, he said, should have charge of military education, but should not have an excess of so-called physical and military instruction. Though especially a part of the pope's controversy with Mussolini, the encyclical was translated into several languages and sent to the church throughout the world. The Italian press accorded it the severe criticism of complete silence, which brought forth an angry rebuke in the Vatican official organ, Osservatore Romano. (© 1936 Western Newspaper Union.)

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SOME DAY IT WILL HAPPEN
During the days when the world is covered with snow and ice there is a noticeable decrease in fatal automobile accidents. Throughout this period motorists instinctively sense the danger that lies in excessive speed, or in taking unnecessary chances of any kind.

Why it is not possible to carry this inner fear into the season when the highways are free of the hazards of winter driving? To do this would cut down our traffic toll to a point where it would not cause the feeling of horror that it did before the beginning of the winter months.

The individual motorist, not the legislator, is the person who can help most in cutting down this enormous loss in human life. Not only does he endanger his own life, but the lives of innocent people when he indulges in reckless driving.

Unless this class of drivers are willing to do this of their own accord drastic action will be taken in shop self defense. Strict examination in order to procure a driver's license, barring reckless drivers from operating a machine, and other safeguards will be provided in addition to what we now have unless there is an immediate and radical change in the conditions which existed when traffic was at its height last year.

The Care of Your Money.

FEE VS. LEASEHOLD REAL ESTATE BONDS

In the earlier stages of the development of the real estate bond all issues were secured by land owned in fee. In fact, the fee was the absolute ownership of the land. However, there are now two kinds of real estate bonds: those secured by fee property and those secured by leasehold property.

As titles grew it became more difficult to buy land in fee. In fact, the business districts in the ninety-nine year lease became customary. In such a case the actual owner of the land leases the property for a large number of years (usually ninety-nine) at an annual rental specified in the lease. The lessee, desiring to improve the property he has leased, seeks the same methods of financing as those used by an actual owner of land. Bond issues secured by a first mortgage on leasehold property are known as First Mortgage Leasehold Bonds.

Fee securities are understood by most investors as sections of the country but leasehold bonds are not so well understood. In the case of a fee property the mortgage becomes a first lien on the land, prior to any claim, good against everybody except unpaid taxes. In the case of a leasehold property the mortgage is not a mortgage on the land but on the leasehold estate. Obviously it becomes necessary for the issuing house to examine the lease very carefully in all of its provisions because the extent of the security is governed by the terms of the lease and the benefits of the lease.

In buying leasehold bonds Straus Brothers Investment Institute advises the investor to look for the following qualifications over and above those ordinarily sought in a fee bond.

1. In the case of a leasehold bond there should be a wide margin of equity. The amount loaned should be 60 per cent, or less, of the conservative valuation of the mortgage property. In addition, there should be sufficient equity in the leasehold. This equity consists in the margin existing over the rentals called for by the lease capitalized at the current interest rate, and the present or probable future value of the lease.

2. The bond house should examine the title to the land and also the terms and provisions of the lease to see that there is no prior lien on either land or lease that would impair the integrity of the lease.

3. The lease should run for a period considerably longer than the longest maturity of the bonds so that there is ample leeway for redemption of the bonds before the lease expires.

4. Extensions of the improved property should be ample, in addition to paying interest and principal requirements on the bonds, taxes, upkeep and insurance, the mortgagee also has to pay ground rent under the lease in case of a leasehold bond.

FATS BEST FUEL FOR ENERGIZING HUMAN MACHINE

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Getting the most miles per hour out of the human engine is the same as with an automobile motor or a locomotive. It's largely a matter of fuel.

"Fats are the coal that fuels the human engine," declared Dr. J. S. Abbott, secretary of the Institute of Margarine Manufacturers. "They are as necessary in generating energy as starches and sugars."

The severe results of fat deficiency in Germany at the close of the World war demonstrated this fact beyond all doubt.

"Considered from the standpoint of energy value in the human machine, one fat will yield pound for pound essentially the same number of calories as any other. And one fat is digested with the same degree of ease and convenience as any other fat. Thus, with any every-day, reasonably balanced diet, it does not make any difference whether the average person spreads his bread with margarine or butter and the one he selects is determined wholly by taste, preference, and economy."

Margarine, discovered in 1871 by Mege-Mouries, a French chemist, is made only from the finest food fats, wholesome milk and salt.

Besides supplying energy, fats such as those in margarine, have other distinct value in the diet. They add greatly to the palatability of foods in the average meal consumed. They are used as a spread for bread, for shortening in cakes and pastries, and for other important culinary purposes.

7,000,000 WORDS IN WORLD BOOK
CHICAGO.—Enough paper to reach from coast to coast if placed in one roll is now being produced over press in the latest contribution of the United States to universal knowledge.

The book that requires this extraordinarily large order of paper is The World Book encyclopedia in twelve volumes, according to the statement issued by W. F. Quarrie, Chicago publisher, in announcing the placing of his firm of one of the largest paper orders recorded in the nation.

The World Book will be printed on paper known as clear spring English, which is distinguished by its resistance to wear and usage," said Mr. Quarrie. "An abundance of clear spring water is necessary to produce this type of paper, and the water used must pass a rigid test for quality. The entire edition is being printed on paper made from virgin pulp, which entails enormous labor of many persons and great care in production."

"More than 7,000,000 words will be printed in each set of twelve volumes, and world-wide knowledge is covered by 3,000 articles, each one prepared by outstanding authorities in specific fields. A great part of the World Book encyclopedia has already been completed."

GROWING INDUSTRY BOON TO FARMERS
WASHINGTON, D. C.—The average American used 27 pounds of margarine in spreading his bread in 1932, according to Dr. J. S. Abbott, secretary of the Institute of Margarine Manufacturers. In a report made public here.

"A third of a billion pounds of margarine was required to supply American tables last year," Dr. Abbott's report sets forth. "The 1932 output totaled 333,121,451 pounds. This was a gain of 38,422,162 pounds compared with the 1928 production and it was 76,424,761 pounds in excess of the 1927 output. Last year's margarine production was the highest since 1920 when the output record for all time of 301,283,000 pounds was reached."

"Increasing use of margarine in the United States in the last few years is attributable to a steadily growing public appreciation of the value of a balanced composition and purity of the product and to improvement in quality through never-ending research."

Depends on Farms
Into the making of the 300,000,000 pounds of margarine that will be put on the American table this year will go something like 94,703,000 pounds of milk, which is an indispensable factor in giving the product a desirable taste, as well as being the essential fatty agent; 27,811,000 pounds of salt; 47,184,000 pounds of oleo oil; 24,184,000 pounds of coconut oil, and 371,411,000 pounds of coconut oil, as well as large quantities of peanut oil and cottonseed oil.

Look Within
No man is better than his thoughts and a bad egg is as good as any other until it is broken; it is the inside of both that defines their worth.—Ritchie.

A Harder Job
Judges have a great deal to do. They have to think hard and work fast in the one who takes care of current bills with a limited income.

MAYFLOWER AGAIN UNDER HAMMER

The Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit, states that the Secretary of the Navy has again invited bids for the sale of the Mayflower, former presidential yacht. This is the third time bids for this vessel have been asked. In October, 1933, three bids were received but none accepted, and again in December, five bids were opened, the highest bid at that time being \$50,000. The vessel has been appraised at \$100,000.

Hand Dictionary Good Post Office for Cupid

Rather abruptly and without forethought, the head of the Hillville high school made a startling discovery: namely, that a pleasant glow enguaged his heart at the mere mention of a certain instructor in his school. But what was he to do?

The school board turned "thunder" down on such romances. Furthermore, love tangles in the school might lower the high standard of morale he was attempting to maintain among his charges.

Yet, despite barriers, the glow persisted until at last in desperation he dashed off these lines: "I must see you, alone! Meet me in K— (a city near Hillville) Friday night." He slipped the note in a small hand dictionary on the lady's desk and nervously waited developments.

Later he returned and found an answer in the affirmative. That winter he made regular calls on "friends" in K—. And, although Hillville prided itself upon its power of detection, it suspected nothing simply because one of its lady teachers spent many of her evenings in the city.

During March the two were married, but they decided it would be wiser not to disclose the news until commencement. How surprised Hillville was! When had they done it?

The professor declared he had not once spoken a word to his wife of their romance when in Hillville. True, they had held romantic communication there, often shockingly ardent on the professor's part, according to his wife, but not one spoken word. The little hand dictionary had remained their faithful Dan Cupid.—Capper's Weekly.

Successful Wife Knows When to "Waste" Time
"Most wives," said Billings, "have to play comforter to their husbands for more reasons than you could shake a stick at. But I doubt if there is another wife in New York who has to pet and console for the reason that pops up in front of my friend, Mrs. Arnold about twice a year."

"What reason is that?" Bolt asked. "Football!" said Billings. "Did you say 'football'?" Bolt puzzled.

"I did," said Billings. "My friend Arnold is the town's most rabid fan. And every time his team loses, he is made cheerful only when his wife lets him put his head on her lap and tell her (in nothing less than half an hour) about all the rotten breaks that the team had."

"Do you really mean," Bolt demanded, "that she lets the big stiff waste her time like that?"

"If you weren't a dumb bachelor," Billings said sagely, "you'd know that it's such wastes of time that make successful wives."—New York Sun.

Colonial Currency
During the Colonial period the colonists used the same currency as the mother country, designated in pounds, shillings and pence. While the money of account was for each colony a Colonial pound, the actual money in circulation was a varied collection of coins of English, French, Portuguese and Spanish origin. The Spanish dollar was the most widely known and circulated, and it thus became the term by which the currencies of the Colonies were most readily compared. The Spanish dollar was common to all the Colonies, and it was the term in which later the common obligations were expressed by the Continental Congress, and thus became the basis of our national coinage.

Cheating
Worth, the famous designer of women's styles, once remarked at a Paris convention:

"I have nothing but admiration for that great English playwright, Shakespeare. What a blend of drama and philosophy! And yet he made one great big mistake when he said that love was blind."

"I have found out by experience that love is blind to everything but fat. Love sees fat, all right."

Wedding Rings for Curtain
That the curtain before the tabernacle in the chapel of the Blessed Sacrament of Westminster cathedral in London is hung on a golden rod with wedding rings has just become generally known. Forty-nine women of various nationalities made an offering of their wedding rings for the purpose. Some were widows, but many were wives who, for the embellishment of the cathedral, desired to give that which they most prized.

Columbus' View of America
On August 1, 1492, the same year that John Cabot explored the coast of North America, Columbus visited the mainland of the American continent in Central America. He again visited the mainland in 1502, near the mouth of the Yaguary river, in Central America. These were the only occasions upon which the great navigator actually saw the mainland of either of the great western continents.—Pathfinder Magazine.

As You Will
The women in business will tell you that she has to work harder than a man to get so far. Maybe she does and maybe she doesn't. He yells louder over the telephone but doesn't screw up his face so much.—Woman's Home Companion.

NO COMPANION



He—What if Tom does make \$75 a week. He can't hold a candle to what I make.
She—What do you make?
He—Gun powder.

Will Probably Succeed
"Say, Jerry, are you really serious about taking up the saxophone?"
"Sure! I'm tryin' to run the family out of our upstairs apartment."

Stepping Stones
"Why are you so anxious to have Arthur give you presents of diamonds?"
"They're stepping stones to marriage, my dear."

On No Ground
Aviator—Up what ground do you base your objection to flying?
Non-Aviator—On no ground whatever—my objection is to the air.

Not Just for Two
Young Husband—Emma, the food doesn't taste right. Why don't you make use of the cookbook I gave you yesterday?
Young Wife—My dear boy! I can't do that. You see, there are only the two of us and all the dishes described are calculated to serve six persons.

Supporting Two Wives
"What, you're supporting two wives? Aren't you afraid of arrest?"
"Not at all—one is mine and one is my son's."

To Head Off Colds
The common cold is a mystery. Sometimes you get it and sometimes you don't, though conditions may seem the same. One thing you can be sure of, you are less likely to have a cold if you keep your physical condition up to par. Sleep enough, eat enough, exercise a little and not too much, worry not at all. Live up to this program and colds will be few.—Capper's Weekly.

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THE SEAT OF THE SCORNFUL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Man, University of Illinois.

Since they have been capable of conscious emotion men have desired happiness and have sought it in every occupation of life. One has only to look about him to know how very many unhappy people there are in the world. Four thousand years ago it was as it is today. In King David's time men were searching

ing in vain for happiness and had keen observer of human nature laid down certain laws for reaching a happy and contented state of mind.

"Happy is the man," he says, "who walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful."

There is no happiness resulting in a deviation from virtue. In the violation of law, nor in a feeling of superiority over those with whom we associate daily. Virtue, honesty, luminousness of mind—these characteristics are at the foundation of happiness.

Youth, it seems to me, has a little tendency these days to stand on one side watching the procession of middle-aged and old passing by and to curl his lips and raise his eyebrows in a somewhat supercilious way, scorning the faith and the accomplishment and the manner of life of those who have preceded him.

"The easiest thing in the world is to criticize what other people have done or believed, to find weaknesses and faults and mistakes of all sorts, to scorn what has been done by our elders. But the scornful are never happy. One might imagine that there might be a sense of satisfaction in a feeling of superiority, but it is not so."

I attended a convention of young people not many weeks ago, and after it was over I had a letter from one of the delegates. He had taken no part in the discussions, but he was scathing in his comments upon the way the business had been carried on and upon the character of the legislation which had been enacted. His whole attitude was one of superiority and scorn of his fellows, but he was far from happy.

As I was coming from Honolulu to San Francisco this summer I met on the boat a British missionary who had spent most of his life working with the people of India in some way if possible to make their lives happier and more comfortable, and their religion more vital. He told us of his faith and his work one afternoon as we sat about the lounge—simply, sincerely, and I thought very effectively. There was a young girl listening with a sneer on her face, scornful of every reference to the power of religion to mold men's lives. She was superior to everything of that sort. She had no use for religion of any sort, she said, and especially for the Christian religion. But her face was hard, unsympathetic, discontented. She was terribly unhappy.

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Uses for Licorice
Licorice has not become a successful commercial crop in America. It grows wild over large areas in Spain, Italy, southern Russia, Asia Minor and northern Asia. This country, however, uses quantities of licorice. Ninety per cent of it finds its way into the tobacco industry, about 5 per cent into confectionery and about 5 per cent into medicine. Its principal medicinal use is to disguise the taste of acid drugs.

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News Briefs

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1930

FRIENDSHIP

We are all travelers in the wilderness of this world, and the best that we find in our travels is an honest friend.—R. L. Stevenson.

John Bruhn was in Lansing on business Monday.

Are YOU a satisfied user of Ford Pond Creek coal or Ford coke? Just one ton and you will be. The Moshier Coal & Supply Co.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodson of Salisbury, N. C., are pleased to learn that Mr. Woodson is recovering nicely from a very serious auto accident in which he was severely injured some time recently.

Miss Ona Lozon was absent from her duties at the A. & P. Store a few days this week due to the misfortune of hurting her knee at the slide one day last week. Mrs. A. Colleen filled her place at the store during her absence.

Charles Corwin has moved into town for the winter.

Boys mackinaws at 1/4 off. Grayling Mercantile Co.

Everyone come to the Temple Theatre Saturday night and dance to the Syncopters.

Sheriff Bohmeyer is spending a few days in Bay City on business leaving Wednesday afternoon.

1 lot Wilton and Axminster rugs 27x54 at 1/4 off. Grayling Mercantile Co.

There will be a Tackey dance at the Grayling High School gymnasium February 14, given by the ladies of St. Mary's Altar society.

Professor G. E. Densmore of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, will broadcast a series of talks on "Practical Public Speaking" over W. J. K. at 5:00 p. m. Sunday, January 26, and all Sundays during February and March.

Upon the passage of the present Federal Aid measure before Congress, Michigan will be able to add thirty-five miles more of pavement to the regular program for the state, and the amount estimated to be spent during 1930 is given at \$31,000,000.

Bread Goodness

Bread with the goodness right in it. First, because we use the best ingredients. Second, because we mix them with the utmost care. Third, because we bake our bread in an oven of just the right temperature to bring out the goodness. Order a loaf today and see how good it is.



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REDSON & COOLEY

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown have returned from Leale, Michigan.

Mrs. Geo. Alexander returned Tuesday from a short visit in Lansing.

Ted Callahan spent the week end in Detroit visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson are attending the auto show in Detroit this week.

Butter customers wanted. A-1 dairy butter. Phone 75-F3. Wm. Love, 1-23-3

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Raas of Johannesburg were callers in Grayling Tuesday.

The William Samon family have moved into the Peter Schmidt house north of the Temple theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Straehl of East Jordan visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown one day last week.

Roy Brown of Bay City arrived Monday to spend a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown and family.

Watch in next week's issue for more about the Tackey dance to be given February 14, by the ladies of St. Mary's Altar society.

School Students—Next Saturday night after basketball there will be a dance at Temple Theatre special to students, for evening 75 cents.

There will be a bake sale given by the ladies of St. Mary's Altar society at the Nick Schjotz grocery store, a week from Saturday, February 1st.

Gerald Herrick left Tuesday night for Detroit to spend a few days with his brother Donald and family. He is also attending the auto show.

Dr. R. Barrus, a former dentist in Grayling, and who moved to Detroit a few months ago, is now located in Kalamazoo, Michigan, where he has opened up an office.

The Bridge Club were guests of Mrs. Holger Peterson at a very lovely luncheon Saturday afternoon at her home. The guests found their places at small tables in the dining and living rooms. Miss Margrethe Bauman was high lady for the score of bridge.

Mrs. Henry Ahman and daughter, who have been spending several months visiting the Ahman and Cassidy families, returned to their home in Saginaw Sunday. Henry Ahman who is now employed in Saginaw, came to Grayling to accompany them home.

"Our Gang" club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Neil Matthews. About twenty members and guests were present. The "Penny prize" was won by Mrs. Rudolph Feilhauser. A delicious lunch was served by the committee. "Our Gang" will meet Thursday.

Mrs. Arnold Burrows entertained several ladies at her home Thursday evening. They enjoyed playing cards and visiting until a late hour. Mrs. Charles Feil held the highest score and received the first prize. Miss Jennie Ingley held the low score. A lunch served later in the evening added much to the enjoyment of the evening.

Special musical numbers for the morning service at Michelson Memorial church will be a quartette and a tenor solo by Mr. Webb. These splendid musical features and Rev. Greenwood's excellent sermons are all any church-goer could ask for. Last Sunday morning the main lobby of the church was nearly full. The evening services too are well attended.

Emerson Brown, who is attending school at U. of M. Ann Arbor, is very popular in the Detroit musical circle. Emerson plays occasionally with the Frank Jones orchestra at the King Wahoo Cafe in Detroit, and every Wednesday night his beautiful tenor voice may be heard over the radio by tuning in on WJR between ten and eleven o'clock, Central Standard time. He is surely delighting his radio audiences.

It is always interesting to hear of the activities of young people who formerly lived in Grayling. We read of Richard Doty who formerly resided in Grayling with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Doty, being the first speaker of the Central High School debating trio in Bay City. The affirmative team of which Richard is a member, will debate with Pontiac High tonight. This team defeated Owosso unanimously in the last debate.

Sister Mary Stella, Superintendent of Nurses at Mercy Hospital received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, M. J. Sharkey in East Lansing Wednesday, January 15th. Mr. Sharkey, 40 years old, was an employee of the Michigan State Garage and was injured fatally when he was crushed between a 15 ton crane and a platform. The injured man was rushed to Sparrow hospital but died within an hour after being admitted to the institution. Surviving relatives are the widow and seven children, the eldest of whom is 12 years old.

Neils Olson was honored Tuesday evening on his fifteenth birthday anniversary when thirteen young people responded to the invitation of his mother, Mrs. Esbern Olson, to come to their home. The party of young folks enjoyed sliding down hill (Crosses Hill on U.S. 27) from eight o'clock until ten, after which they came back to the Olson home and enjoyed a delicious lunch. Mrs. Olson made a lovely birthday cake adorned with fifteen candles which centered the table. After lunch, the young people visited and sang songs until a late hour, after which they departed for their homes, wishing him many more happy birthdays. They left a fountain pen as a remembrance from them. Neils was delighted with the affair and brimming over with joy.

H. J. Gothro is spending a few days in Bay City on business.

Sale of mens shirts at 1/4 off. Grayling Mercantile Co.

Mr. W. H. Minard of Alpena was a business caller in Grayling Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. James Sorenson is entertaining the Danish Reading club at her home this afternoon.

Misses Anne and Helen Brady left for Cheboygan Wednesday to spend a couple of days visiting relatives.

I.O.O.F. will give a card party and refreshments Thursday evening, January 30. Everybody welcome. By order of committee.

Fine line of sport sweaters and skirts at Cooley's Gift Shop. They will go now on our dress sale at 20% off.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McNeven and daughter Miss Nadine spent the week end in Flint visiting Mr. and Mrs. Larry Reynold and family.

Ask a satisfied customer about Ford Pond Creek coal or Ford coke. You will want to try it also. The Moshier Coal & Supply Co.

Mid-semester examinations began Monday morning and ended Tuesday afternoon. Friday morning the high school students will report at the school house for their credits.

The open rabbit season in the upper peninsula closes at midnight, January 31. The badger season in the state closes at midnight, February 1, ending all open seasons for the winter.

Mr. Ralph Gowl, star reporter of the Detroit Times, Detroit, is in Grayling on business for a few days. While in Grayling, he is the guest of C. W. Montrose.

Mrs. Jensen Ziebell entertained her card club last evening at her home on Chestnut Street. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. Miss Clarice Welsh will entertain next week.

Clinton McNeven of Bay City arrived Wednesday to spend a few days as the guest of Howard Granger. He is planning a trip to the toboggan slide while here, and it goes without saying he will have a good time.

Percy Giffin found a fine fur glove Wednesday and promptly brot it to this office. That's the honest thing to do, for as usual we are able to find the owners of lost articles of value.

Mrs. Guy Sarff of Naples, Idaho, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. Alvin LaChapelle for the winter, took her little son to Detroit where he was successfully operated upon. They will return the last of the week.

NOTICE—There will be a special meeting of the Auxiliary of the American Legion Post next Monday evening, January 27th. Everybody please be there as very important business is to be transacted.

A card, dancing and keno party is being given by the Winner Sports committee of the Board of Trade tonight (Thursday) for the benefit of the sports fund. The public is invited. A good time is sure to be had.

O. P. Schumann left Wednesday evening for Lansing to attend the annual meeting of Michigan Press Association. He was joined in Rosemont by Editor Matheson and in Mt. Pleasant by Editor Rich of the Midland Republican.

Mrs. John Walstrom was a guest of the Frank Ahman family Monday.

Alex Atkinson, Tony Gross, Nels Corwin and Alfred Hanson are attending the auto show in Detroit this week. The latter will drive a new Chevrolet back from Flint.

Mrs. Nels Corwin entertained the Woman's Missionary society of the Michelson Memorial church at her home Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent sewing carpet rags and tying a quilt. Later in the afternoon Mrs. Corwin served lunch. There was a good crowd present.

Harry Warden was very much surprised Tuesday evening when a number of his friends walked in to help him celebrate his birthday. He was presented with a lovely birthday cake and some nice gifts. Cards were enjoyed. His mother assisted by Miss Iva Howse served a delicious three-course lunch after which the guests left wishing him a happy birthday.

Mrs. Rex Chappell entertained her club last Thursday afternoon. The ladies surprised Mrs. Chappell by bringing her with lovely gifts. Games were enjoyed, prizes being won by Mrs. Russell Vallad, Mrs. William Laurens and Mrs. Emery Craft. Mrs. Chappell assisted by the committee served a delicious lunch late in the afternoon. The club will meet with Mrs. Emery Craft next Thursday afternoon.

Word has been received by Mrs. David Montour of the death of her brother, Joseph Collier, who died Tuesday at his home in Standish. He was the proprietor of the Collier Hotel there and was also well known in Grayling. Mrs. Montour, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, and Frank Tetu are leaving tomorrow to attend the funeral. Mr. Collier was also a brother of Mr. Henry Bousson, who is at present in Pasadena, California.

Mrs. Bert Schultz of Saginaw is recovering slowly from a very serious operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Schultz has been confined to the hospital for nearly a month and Mr. and Mrs. Brown received word Wednesday that she was removed to her home a few days ago. Mrs. Henry Trudo of Midland is in Saginaw caring for her. The Brown family also received word from Middlebury, N. Y. that their son Otto recently underwent an operation and is getting along very nicely.

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The Danish Reading club were entertained last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. T. Boeson.

Mrs. Hansine Hanson will entertain the Danish Ladies Aid at her home Thursday, January 30th.

Mrs. Peter Johnson returned to her home in Grand Rapids the last of the week after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. George Sorenson.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Waite returned from Lansing Monday after attending the funeral of their grandson. They were accompanied home by their son Walter and his wife who are spending a few days here.

Wm. J. Norton, secretary of the Couzens Child Welfare fund, and Dr. Kenneth R. Gibson, director of the dental division, were in Grayling last week Wednesday making a survey of the welfare work that is being done here by Dr. Howard and his assistants.

The good news has been received that Herman Hanson has successfully passed his last pharmacy examination which he wrote in Grand Rapids sometime in November. We are glad to hear that we have another full-fledged pharmacist among the graduates of Grayling High School.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Bay City were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jarmin and family Sunday. The two couples came to enjoy the thrills of the toboggan slide and report a wonderful time. They said they would surely be back again in a few weeks.

Frank Michelson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Michelson of Detroit, left on Thursday last for New York and sailed on Friday on the S.S. Ile de France for Havre. From Havre he goes to Paris and Rome, and at Naples he will meet his brother Nels Michelson, who has been on a three month's tour of Europe, and together they will continue their cruise around the world on the S.S. Franconia, arriving in New York again on May 26th.

Through the efforts of Grayling Board of Trade Grayling water sports go on the air every Friday night at 8:00 o'clock over W. B. C. M., Bay City. Grayling is the first city in Michigan to broadcast winter sports. This costs money, of course, for no station is being run for pleasure unless they give out service they collect pay for the same. It is thru the assistance of Mr. Marston and the E. M. T. organization that we are able to get this service at any price.

Those having sleighs and horses for sleighride parties, leave names at Avalanche office.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Douglas and family returned to their home in Lovells Sunday. Mrs. Douglas had been spending several weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Colleen.

Dr. Kenneth R. Gibson of Detroit, director of the dental division of the Childrens Fund of Michigan, called here yesterday. He complimented Mrs. M. Gorman very highly upon her work here saying it was very satisfactory. Dr. Gibson will visit Grayling about once a month in the future.

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